

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Call to Order: Chair Steve Lavin, on January 30, 2015 at 3:00 PM, in Room 455 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Steve Lavin, Chair (R)
Rep. Christy Clark, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Nancy Wilson, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Rob Cook (R)
Rep. Willis Curdy (D)
Rep. Frank Garner (R)
Rep. George G. Kipp III (D)
Rep. Margaret (Margie) MacDonald (D)
Rep. Wendy McKamey (R)
Rep. Mike Miller (R)
Rep. Lee Randall (R)
Rep. Bridget Smith (D)
Rep. Kathy Swanson (D)

Members Excused: Rep. Clayton Fiscus (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Kendra Balian, Committee Secretary
Dave Bohyer, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 267, 1/22/2015

00:00:01 Chair Lavin

HEARING ON HB 267

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:01:41 Rep. Ellie Boldman Hill (D), HD 90, opened the hearing on HB 267, Generally revise laws related to motor carriers.

Proponents' Testimony:

00:09:07 Travis Kavulla, Montana Public Service Commission (PSC)

[EXHIBIT\(trh21a01\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(trh21a02\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(trh21a03\)](#)

00:21:35 Jason Hildenstab, Montana Highway Patrol (MHP)

00:22:07 Tracie Pabst, Big Sky Shuttle

00:29:39 Marcus Kirchmayr, Shuttle to Big Sky & Taxi

00:33:35 Bryce Bennett, Uber Technologies

[EXHIBIT\(trh21a04\)](#)

00:39:07 Brent Mead, Montana Policy Institute

Opponents' Testimony:

00:40:19 Dan Martin, Karst Stage

00:46:05 Vance Vanderpan, Greater Valley Taxi

00:51:28 Mary Garcia, Mining City Taxi

00:55:36 Susan Young, Billing Yellow Cab

01:00:48 Bob Young, Billings Yellow Cab

01:06:51 Bruce Spencer, Property & Casualty Insurance Montana, State Farm Insurance

[EXHIBIT\(trh21a05\)](#)

01:15:50 Greg VanHorssen, State Farm Insurance

01:19:18 Jon Metropoulos, Farmers Insurance Group

01:19:57 Carrie Pintar, Amazing Taxi

[EXHIBIT\(trh21a06\)](#)

01:25:14 Jerry L. Tyacke, Yellow Cab Inc. of Missoula

Informational Testimony: None

Proponents' Testimony:

01:28:37 Anastasia Boden, Pacific Legal Foundation (PLF)

[EXHIBIT\(trh21a07\)](#)

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

01:34:04 Rep. Cook

01:34:46 Travis Kavulla, PSC

01:36:12 Rep. Cooks

01:36:52 Rep. Wilson

01:37:25 Travis Kavulla, PSC

01:38:08 Rep. Wilson
01:38:37 Travis Kavulla, PSC
01:39:22 Rep. Wilson
01:40:00 Travis Kavulla, PSC
01:40:49 Rep. Wilson
01:40:59 Travis Kavulla, PSC
01:41:23 Rep. McKamey
01:41:47 Travis Kavulla, PSC
01:42:20 Rep. McKamey
01:42:50 Bob Young, Billings Yellow Cab
01:42:51 Rep. McKamey
01:43:15 Bob Young, Billings Yellow Cab
01:43:32 Rep. Clark
01:44:47 Bob Young, Billings Yellow Cab
01:45:03 Rep. Fiscus
01:45:53 Anastasia Boden, PLF
01:46:59 Rep. Fiscus
01:47:12 Anastasia Boden, PLF
01:47:32 Rep. Fiscus
01:47:43 Anastasia Boden, PLF
01:47:54 Rep. Garner
01:48:18 Anastasia Boden, PLF
01:48:39 Rep. Garner
01:49:28 Bruce Spencer, Property & Casualty Insurance Montana, State Farm Insurance
01:49:49 Rep. Garner
01:49:53 Bruce Spencer, Property & Casualty Insurance Montana, State Farm Insurance
01:50:19 Rep. Garner
01:50:36 Travis Kavulla, PSC
01:51:19 Rep. Randall
01:51:44 Travis Kavulla, PSC
01:52:06 Rep. Curdy
01:53:07 Bryce Bennett, Uber Technologies
01:53:23 Rep. Curdy
01:53:34 Bryce Bennett, Uber Technologies
01:54:27 Rep. Curdy
01:55:08 Travis Kavulla, PSC
01:56:24 Rep. MacDonald
01:57:43 Vance Vanderpan, Greater Valley Taxi
02:03:00 Rep. MacDonald
02:03:27 Greg Dahl, Deputy Insurance Commissioner
02:03:59 Rep. McKamey
02:04:27 Carrie Pintar, Amazing Taxi
02:04:38 Rep. McKamey
02:04:44 Carrie Pintar, Amazing Taxi
02:05:11 Rep. McKamey
02:05:19 Carrie Pintar, Amazing Taxi
02:05:27 Rep. Garner
02:05:47 Marcus Kirchmayr, Shuttle to Big Sky & Taxi
02:05:52 Rep. Garner
02:06:06 Marcus Kirchmayr, Shuttle to Big Sky & Taxi

02:08:05 Rep. Garner

02:08:49 Bob Young, Billings Yellow Cab

Closing by Sponsor:

02:09:42 Rep. Hill

02:15:43 Chair Lavin

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 02:16:14

Kendra Balian, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([trh21aad.pdf](#))